

State of South Dakota

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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2015

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1082

Introduced by: Representatives Kaiser, Brunner, Greenfield (Lana), Kirschman, Latterell, May, Qualm, Schrempp, Soli, Stalzer, Verchio, and Wollmann and Senators Greenfield (Brock) and Olson

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to allow a law enforcement officer to issue a citation
2 without a notary.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 Section 1. That chapter 23-1A be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
5 follows:

6 It is sufficient if a law enforcement officer, in lieu of verification under oath, signs the
7 following statement printed or written on a complaint or summons for a Class 2 misdemeanor
8 or a petty offense "I declare and affirm under the penalties of perjury that this complaint or
9 summons has been examined by me, and to the best of my knowledge and belief, is in all things
10 true and correct." Any person who signs this statement as provided for in this section, knowing
11 the statement to be false or untrue, in whole or in part, is guilty of perjury.

